BEST ADAGIOS
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MOSTLY BAROQUE 74.05

ALBINONI *arr. Giazotto*

1 Adagio *extract* 2.42
English Chamber Orchestra / Ian Watson Ⓟ 1991

PACHELBEL

2 Canon in D 3.38
Taverner Players / Andrew Parrott
Ⓟ 1988

ALLEGRI

3 Miserere *extract* 5.44
Taverner Consort / Andrew Parrott
Ⓟ 1984

VIVALDI

4 Flute Concerto Op.10 'La notte' – II. Largo 1.41
Taverner Players / Andrew Parrott
Ⓟ 1988

The Four Seasons

5 Concerto No.1 'Spring' – II. Largo e pianissimo 2.39
6 Concerto No.2 – 'Summer' – II. Adagio 2.04
7 Concerto No.3 – 'Autumn' – II. Adagio molto 2.53
8 Concerto No.4 'Winter' – II. Largo 2.22
London Chamber Orchestra / Christopher Warren-Green
Ⓟ 1989

9 Mandolin Concerto in C – II. Largo 2.52
Giovanni Scaramuzzino *mandolin*
Europa Galante / Fabio Biondi Ⓟ 2002

J.S. BACH

10 Harpsichord Concerto in A – II. Larghetto 4.52
Melante Amsterdam / Bob van Asperen Ⓟ 1993

11 Harpsichord Concerto in F minor – II. Largo 2.31
Melante Amsterdam / Bob van Asperen Ⓟ 1993

Concerto for two violins in D minor

12 II. Largo ma non tanto 6.49
Jonathan Rees & Jane Murdoch *violins*
Scottish Ensemble Ⓟ 1991

13 Orchestral Suite No.1 – IV. Sarabande 3.09
English Chamber Orchestra / Philip Ledger Ⓟ 1991

14 Air 'on the G string' (Orchestral Suite No.3) 4.48
English Chamber Orchestra / Philip Ledger Ⓟ 1991

15 Cello Suite No.5 – IV. Sarabande 4.17
Ralph Kirshbaum *cello* Ⓟ 1994

HAYDN

16 Symphony No.88 in G – II. Largo *extract* 2.31
La Petite Bande / Sigiswald Kuijken Ⓟ 1992

PERGOLESI

17 Stabat mater *opening* 4.43
Véronique Gens *soprano* · Gérard Lesne *alto*
Il seminario musicale Ⓟ 1997

MOZART

18 Ave verum corpus K622 2.38
London Classical Players · Schutz Choir of London
Sir Roger Norrington Ⓟ 1992

HANDEL

19 Ombra mai fù (*Serse*) 3.05
David Daniels *counter-tenor*
Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment
Sir Roger Norrington Ⓟ 1992

PÄRT

20 Solfeggio 4.00
Estonian Philharmonic Chamber Choir / Tonu Kaljuste
Ⓟ 1997

TAVENER

21 The Protecting Veil *conclusion* 2.55
Steven Isserlis *cello*
London Symphony Orchestra / Gennadi Rozhdestvensky
Ⓟ 1992

MOZART ADAGIOS 77.37

MOZART

1 Piano Concerto No.21 K467 – II. Andante 6.46
Diana Ambache *piano* / Ambache Chamber Orchestra
Ⓟ 1991

2 Clarinet Concerto K621 – II. Adagio 6.38
Paul Meyer *clarinet*
Ensemble Orchestral de Paris / John Nelson Ⓟ 2005

3 Piano Concerto No.20 K466 – II. Romanze *extract* 4.16
Mikhail Pletnev *piano* / Deutsche Kammerphilharmonie
Ⓟ 1996

Serenade in G 'Eine kleine Nachtmusik' K525

4 II. Romanze 5.47
London Chamber Orchestra / Christopher Warren-Green
Ⓟ 1991

5 Piano Concerto No.22 K482 – II. Andante 9.38
Annie Fischer *piano*
Philharmonia Orchestra / Wolfgang Sawallisch
Ⓟ 1959

6 Symphony No.40 K550 – II. Andante 7.25
Sinfonia Varsovia / Yehudi Menuhin Ⓟ 1990

7 Piano Concerto No.23 K488 – II. Adagio 6.16
8 Piano Concerto No.24 K491 – II. Larghetto 8.22
Mikhail Pletnev *piano* / Deutsche Kammerphilharmonie
Ⓟ 1993

9 Masonic Funeral Music K477 3.34
London Classical Players / Sir Roger Norrington
Ⓟ 1992

10 Clarinet Quintet K491 – II. Larghetto 6.29
Sabine Meyer *clarinet*
Members of the Vienna String Sextet
Ⓟ 1988

Piano Sonata No.8 K310

11 II. Andante cantabile con espressione *extract* 2.38
Jean-Bernard Pommier *piano*
Ⓟ 1982

12 Flute and Harp Concerto K299 – II. Andantino 9.13
Samuel Coles *flute* · Naoko Yoshino *harp*
English Chamber Orchestra / Yehudi Menuhin
Ⓟ 1992

GERMAN ADAGIOS 79.46

BEETHOVEN

Piano Sonata No.14 'Moonlight'

1 I. Adagio sostenuto 6.13
François-René Duchâble *piano*
℗ 1996

Symphony No.3 'Eroica'

2 II. Marcia funebre *extract* 3.30
London Classical Players / Sir Roger Norrington
℗ 1989

3 Piano Concerto No.4 – II. Andante con moto 4.07
Melvyn Tan *piano*
London Classical Players / Sir Roger Norrington
℗ 1989

Piano Sonata No.8 'Pathétique'

4 II. Adagio cantabile 4.59
François-René Duchâble *piano*
℗ 1996

Piano Concerto No.5 'Emperor'

5 II. Adagio un poco mosso 5.32
Melvyn Tan *piano*
London Classical Players / Sir Roger Norrington
℗ 1989

BRAHMS

6 Symphony No.3 in F – III. Poco allegretto 5.56
Deutsche Kammerphilharmonie Bremen / Daniel Harding
℗ 1990

7 Piano Concerto No.2 – III. Andante *extract* 6.15
Stephen Hough *piano* · Timothy Hugh *cello*
BBC Symphony Orchestra / Sir Andrew Davis
℗ 1990

MENDELSSOHN

8 Nocturne (*A Midsummer Night's Dream*) 5.50
Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment
Sir Charles Mackerras ℗ 1988

SCHUBERT

Symphony No.8 'Unfinished'

9 II. Andante con moto *extract* 6.11
Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment
Sir Charles Mackerras ℗ 1992

String Quartet No.14 'Death and the Maiden'

10 II. Andante con moto *extract* 2.16
Hungarian Quartet
℗ 1959

Symphony No.9 'Great'

11 II. Andante con moto *extract* 2.03
Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment
Sir Charles Mackerras ℗ 1992

12 Piano Trio No.2 – II. Andante con moto *extract* 3.13
Frank Braley *piano* · Renaud Capuçon *violin*
Gautier Capuçon *cello* ℗ 2007

SCHUMANN

13 Träumerei (*Kinderszenen*) 2.10
Alexis Weissenberg *piano*
℗ 1979

14 Symphony No.3 'Rhenish' – IV. Feierlich 4.37
Bamberger Symphoniker / Christoph Eschenbach
℗ 2001

STRAUSS

15 Morgen! 3.44
Gundula Janowitz *soprano*
Academy of London (Peter Manning *solo violin*)
Richard Stamp ℗ 1990

WAGNER

16 Siegfried Idyll *extract* 5.37
Orchestre Philharmonique de Radio France
Marek Janowski ℗ 1993

MAHLER

17 Symphony No.5 – IV. Adagietto *extract* 3.42
Finnish Radio Symphony Orchestra
Jukka-Pekka Saraste ℗ 1991

SCHOENBERG

18 Verklärte Nacht – Grave 2.55
Nash Ensemble ℗ 1991

FRENCH ADAGIOS 79.12

SAINT-SAËNS

1 Aquarium (*Carnival of the Animals*) 2.40
2 The Swan (*Carnival of the Animals*) 2.55
Nash Ensemble ℗ 1991

DEBUSSY

3 Clair de lune (*Suite bergamasque*) 5.43
Kun-Woo Paik *piano* ℗ 1991

4 Des pas sur la neige (*Préludes*, Book I) 4.29
5 La Cathédrale engloutie (*Préludes*, Book I) 5.27
Jean-Bernard Pommier *piano* ℗ 1995

FAURÉ

6 Élégie 7.26
Paul Tortelier *cello* ℗ 1988

7 Pavane 5.31
English Chamber Orchestra / Paul Tortelier
℗ 1988

8 Requiem – Introit *extract* 7.14
Ensemble Vocal et Instrumental de Lausanne
Michel Corboz ℗ 1993

POULENC

9 Concerto for two pianos – II. Larghetto 5.51
Jean-Bernard Pommier, Anne Queffélec *pianos*
City of London Sinfonia / Richard Hickox ℗ 1996

10 Concert champêtre – II. Andante 6.12
Maggie Cole *harpsichord*
City of London Sinfonia / Richard Hickox ℗ 1990

SATIE

11 Gnossienne No.1 3.23
12 Gymnopédie No.3 2.42
Anne Queffélec *piano* ℗ 1998

RAVEL

13 Piano Concerto in G – II. Adagio *extract* 4.17
Andrew Litton *piano*
Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra / Libor Pešek
℗ 1989

14 Vocalise en forme de habanera 3.07
Arleen Augér *soprano*
Philharmonia Orchestra / Libor Pešek
℗ 1992

Ma Mère l'Oye
15 Pavane de la Belle au Bois dormant 1.46
16 Le Jardin féérique 3.45
Scottish Chamber Orchestra / Jukka-Pekka Saraste
℗ 1989

17 Pavane pour une Infante défunte 6.08
Scottish Chamber Orchestra / Jukka-Pekka Saraste
℗ 1989

RUSSIAN AND ROMANTIC ADAGIOS 78.12

SHOSTAKOVICH

1 Waltz (*Jazz Suite No.2*) 3.50
Orchestre Philharmonique de Radio France / Paavo Järvi
℗ 2004

OFFENBACH

2 Barcarolle (*Les Contes d'Hoffmann*) 4.17
Jessye Norman *soprano* · Ann Murray *mezzo-soprano*
Chœurs et Orchestre Symphonique de l'Opéra du Théatre Royal de la Monnaie, Brussels / Sylvain Cambreling
℗ 1988

LALO

3 Symphonie espagnole – IV. Andante 6.24
Christian Tetzlaff *violin*
Czech Philharmonic Orchestra / Libor Pešek
℗ 1994

MASSENET

4 Méditation (*Thaïs*) 5.19
Renaud Capuçon *violin*
Deutsche Kammerphilharmonie Bremen
Daniel Harding ℗ 2001

MUSSORGSKY *orch.* Ravel

5 Il vecchio castello (*Pictures at an Exhibition*) 4.35
Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Orchestra
Sir Charles Mackerras ℗ 1991

RACHMANINOV

6 Piano Concerto No.2 – II. Adagio sostenuto *extract* 7.22
Jean-Bernard Pommier *piano*
Hallé Orchestra / Lawrence Foster ℗ 1993

7 Symphony No.2 – III. Adagio *extract* 4.12
Royal Philharmonic Orchestra / Andrew Litton
℗ 1990

8 Vocalise 5.17
Natalie Dessay *soprano*
Berliner Philharmoniker / Michael Schønwandt
℗ 1998

STRAVINSKY

9 Pulcinella – Serenata 3.17
Martyn Hill *tenor*
City of London Sinfonia / Richard Hickox ℗ 1990

CHOPIN

10 Nocturne No.5 in F sharp Op.15 No.2 3.38
Mikhail Pletnev *piano* Ⓟ 1990

11 Nocturne in C sharp minor Op. posth. 4.11
12 Prelude No.4 in E minor 2.28
François-René Duchâble *piano* Ⓟ 2003

Sonata No.2 in B flat minor
13 III. Funeral March *extract* 2.26
Leif Ove Andsnes *piano* Ⓟ 1992

TCHAIKOVSKY

Piano Concerto No.1
14 II. Andantino semplice *extract* 3.38
Jean-Bernard Pommier *piano*
Hallé Orchestra / Lawrence Foster Ⓟ 1993

15 Violin Concerto – II. Canzonetta 6.29
Augustin Dumay *violin*
London Symphony Orchestra / Emil Tchakarov
Ⓟ 1988

16 Symphony No.6 'Pathétique'
IV. Adagio lamentoso 10.21
Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra / Andrew Litton
Ⓟ 1993

SENTIMENTAL ADAGIOS 73.43

BARBER

1 Adagio for Strings 7.12
Scottish Chamber Orchestra / Jukka-Pekka Saraste
Ⓟ 1989

DVOŘÁK

2 Slavonic Dance Op.72 No.2 *extract* 2.32
3 Slavonic Dance Op.46 No.2 *extract* 1.23
Berliner Philharmoniker / Lorin Maazel
Ⓟ 1989

4 Silent Woods 5.19
Timothy Woods *cello*
Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Orchestra / Libor Pešek
Ⓟ 1994

GRIEG

Peer Gynt
5 The Death of Ase 5.03
6 Morning 4.10
Estonian National Symphony Orchestra
Paavo Järvi Ⓟ 2005

Piano Concerto in A minor
7 II. Adagio 6.48
Leif Ove Andsnes *piano*
Bergen Philharmonic Orchestra / Dmitri Kitaenko
Ⓟ 1990

8 Air (*Holberg Suite*) 5.47
Estonian National Symphony Orchestra
Paavo Järvi Ⓟ 2006

Sibelius

9 The Swan of Tuonela *extract* 5.07
Stockholm Philharmonic Orchestra / Paavo Järvi
Ⓟ 1996

10 Valse triste 4.48
Estonian National Symphony Orchestra
Paavo Järvi Ⓟ 2002

LISZT

11 Consolation No.3 3.52
François-René Duchâble *piano*
℗ 1976

12 Liebestraum No.3 3.59
François-René Duchâble *piano* ℗ 1989

VAUGHAN WILLIAMS

13 Fantasia on Greensleeves 4.14
London Chamber Orchestra
Christopher Warren-Green ℗ 1989

VILLA-LOBOS

14 Aria (*Bachianas brasileiras No.5*) 6.03
Barbara Hendricks *soprano*
Royal Philharmonic Orchestra / Enrique Batiz
℗ 1986

15 Sentimental Melody 3.58
Sharon Isbin *guitar* ℗ 1990

RODRIGO

Concierto de Aranjuez

16 II. Adagio *extract* 3.02
Sharon Isbin *guitar*
Lausanne Chamber Orchestra / Lawrence Foster
℗ 1991

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